



PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of : Anders T. RAGNARSSON  
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For : SLUDGE DRYER  
Group Art Unit : 3749  
Examiner : Jiping LU  
Docket : RAGAND P06AUS

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**SUBMISSION OF ISSUE FEE, PUBLICATION FEE,  
AND SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION**

In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed January 3, 2005, the associated issue fee and publication fee (covering the January 6, 2005 publication of this application) accompanies this submission.

Enclosed is a Supplemental Declaration executed by Anders T. RAGNARSSON, the inventors of this case. No fee is believed payable with respect to the Supplemental Declaration and it is respectfully requested that this document be made of record in the above referenced application.

In the event that there are any fee deficiencies or additional fees are payable, please charge the same or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account (Account No. 04-0213).

Respectfully submitted,

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**SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION FOR AMENDMENT PRESENTING  
CLAIMS FOR MATTER DISCLOSED BUT NOT ORIGINALLY CLAIMED**

I, Anders T. RAGNARSSON, as an inventor named in the application for a United States Letters Patent for an improvement entitled SLUDGE DRYER, (Serial No.: 10/612,684 filed: July 2, 2003), hereby declare that the subject matter

- ☐ of the attached amendment
- ☒ of the claim amendments contained in the Response filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on or about October 13, 2004 was part of my invention and was invented before the filing of the original application, above identified, for such invention.

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*If the inventors are each not the inventors of all the claims, an explanation of the facts, including the ownership of all the claims at the time the last claimed invention was made, should be submitted.*

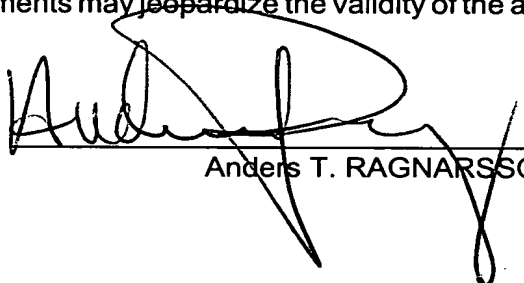
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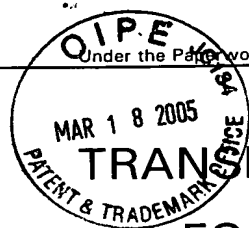
I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by an amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations. (see rule 1.56).

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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